GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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LPG AGENCIES IN MADHYA PRADESH
SATYAVRAT CHATURVEDI;SUNDER LAL TIWARI

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of application received by the Government so far the opening of LPG agencies in Madhya Pradesh alongwith the number of applications disposed of by the Government and the time by which the remaining applications are likely to be disposed of;

(b) the actual requirement of the number of LPG agencies to cater the needs of the people of Madhya Pradesh; and

(c) the steps being taken by the Government to fulfil the needs of Madhya Pradesh and the time by which it is likely to be completed?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MI OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANGWAR)

(a) to (c) : At present, 270 locations of LPG distributorships are pending for commissioning in Madhya Pradesh under the various Marketing Plans.

The selection of distributorship is a continuous process and it is not possible to indicate a definite time frame by which these distributorships are likely to be commissioned. At present, the existing distributors are meeting the requirement of enrolled customers satisfactorily and no backlog has been reported in Madhya Pradesh.